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Sensitive Operational Information

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1. Reference is made to Paragraph 2 (a) describing the information that is to be furnished to the PARAMOUNT Panel daily.

2. From an operational security standpoint it is not an accepted security practice to announce the "time of a departure"; such information is normally restricted to those individuals specifically charged with the operational mission on a "must know" basis.

3. There should be no security objection to a statement that Mission No. ____ will be run; the configuration to be used and the targets to be covered, also that the "take" should be available at such and such day including the hour.

4. While this is an operational security problem the information would, to all intents and purposes, be furnished to representatives of all services serving on the PARAMOUNT Panel which sits in HTAUTOMAT.

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